

Attorney's Docket No. 9220-3



COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Ping Fu et al.

Serial No.: 09/684,184

Filed: October 6, 2000

For: MANUFACTURING METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR RAPID PRODUCTION OF  
HEARING-AID SHELLS

Group Art Unit: 2123

Examiner: Unknown

Date: May 22, 2002

RECEIVED

JUN 06 2002

Technology Center 2100

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

FOURTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Attached is a form PTO-1449, together with a copy of the identified document. This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), within three months of the filing date of the above-referenced application or before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever event occurs last. Accordingly, no fee is required. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Respectfully submitted,

Grant J. Scott

Registration No. 36,925



20792

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Tel (919) 854-1400

Fax (919) 854-1401

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on May 22, 2002

*Candi L. Riggs*

Candi L. Riggs

Date of Signature: May 22, 2002